INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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FIRST INVENTOR: **Kyung-hyun KO** TITLE **POROUS COATED MEMBER AND**
MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF USING COLD SPRAY
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OTHER DOCUMENTS   *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

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